them at its cost, well-to-do persons may be induced to do so by payment of grant-in-aid.

Mr. Garudachar of Shimoga.

(*d*) One is requested for Shimoga town.

Reply of Government.—There are already several Government or aided Industrial Schools in the State. Let the members submit a note for the consideration of Government. The request in (*d*) is noted and referred to the Inspector General of Education.

Subject No. 12.
Sanskrit Education.

Mr. Gopala Rao of the Kolar Municipality.

Mr. Srinivasa Josyer of Yedugiri Sadananda Vardhini Sabha.

Summary of discussion.—(*a*) Sanskrit may be taught in all Vernacular schools as a second language.

(*b*) In many places there are no Sanskrit Schools. The establishment of such schools at least in places where there are many Brahmans is earnestly prayed for.

Reply of Government.—Noted. It is not possible to do this in all places.

Subject No. 13.
Subjects taught in Hobli and Village Schools.

Messrs. A. Anniah Pandit and D. Narasimhaiya of the Chamrajnagar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The imparting of instruction in hobli and village schools in subjects not suited to the requirements of boys may be dispensed with, and arrangements may be made to teach them the three R's, Hygiene and Agriculture.

Reply of Government.—Noted. The matter will be considered on receipt of the separate note now promised by the member (Mr. Anniah Pandit).

Subject No. 14.
The Lower Secondary Examination.

Messrs. M. Venkatakrishniah, M. Anantharajaiya, N. Srikantiah and C. Krishniengar of the Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The Lower Secondary Examination should be abolished as regards pupils taking up English, for whom the Matriculation should be the first examination. The Lower Secondary Examination may, however, be retained for Kanarese-reading boys. English should be begun in the lower classes. Uniformity should be introduced in the matter of the curriculum of all schools. If necessary, an Educational Conference may be convened.

Reply of Government.—The opinion of the Inspector-General of Education is that the proposed abolition of the Lower Secondary Examination would be a retrograde step. But the members interested may submit a note, upon which the matter will be considered by Government.

Subject No. 15.
(1) Collegiate Education.

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao of Chikmagalur and
Messrs. M. Venkatakrishniah, M. Anantharajaiya, N. Srikantiah and C. Krishniengar of Mysore City Municipality.

Do.

Do. and
Messrs. C. Vasudeva Rao and C. Sreenivasa Rao.

Summary of discussion.—(*a*) Classes for all the optional subjects prescribed for the B. A. Degree Examination may be opened in the two 1st Grade Colleges of Bangalore and Mysore.

(*b*) The chair for Mathematics either in the Central College or in the Maharaja's College should be abolished.

(*c*) Only one College need be maintained in the State, *i. e.*, at Bangalore, and the money saved by the abolition of the Colleges at Mysore and Shimoga may be used for the education of the masses. (Mr. B. Garudachar protested against the suggested abolition of existing local Colleges.)

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao of Chikmagalur and.
Messrs. M. Venkatakrishniah, M. Anantharajaiya, N. Srikantiah and C. Krishniengar of Mysore City Municipality, and
Messrs. C. Vasudeva Rao and C. Sreenivasa Rao.

(2) Teaching of Law.

Do. and
Mr. C. Krishnamurti of Bangalore

(*d*) The Matriculation classes should be abolished in the 1st Grade Colleges.

Reply of Government.—The matter is under consideration by a Committee, whose recommendations are awaited.

(*e*) A Law College should be established, or at least a class for teaching Law should be opened in an Arts College.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 16.
Increase of pay to Taluk and Hobli Schoolmasters.

Mr. Srinivasa Josyer of Yedugiri Sadananda Vardhini Sabha.

Summary of discussion.—(*a*) The masters of the Taluk and Hobli Schools get small pay. As an incentive for them to work hard, it will be well to introduce the "Grade System," as in the case of High Schools and Colleges.

(*b*) The scale of pay fixed for village schoolmasters may be raised to Rs. 10, the present salaries (Rs. 5 and Rs. 7) being quite inadequate.

Reply of Government.—Noted. It is a question of funds. Let the member consult the budget and say if he can propose any definite way of meeting the expenditure.

Messrs. Narasimhamurthi and Sankarappa of Malvalli Taluk.

(*c*) The masters employed in schools are seldom or never taken by transfer to the Revenue Department, and the consequence is that they become quite disgusted with the work and do not teach the boys as they ought to, nor improve themselves to keep pace with the advance of education. In these days of advanced education it is necessary that the present staff of masters should be transferred to the Revenue or other Departments and their places given to more qualified men.

Reply of Government.—Not feasible. The qualifications of people differ.

Subject No. 17.
Teachers of grant-in-aid Schools and Insurance.

Messrs. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, M. Anantharajaiya, N. Srikantiah and C. Krishniengar of the Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The teachers of grant-in-aid schools should be permitted to insure their lives under the Mysore Government Life Assurance scheme.

Reply of Government.—Referred to the President of the State Life Insurance Committee for disposal.

Subject No. 18.
The Inspecting Staff.

Messrs. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, M. Anantharajaiya, N. Srikantiah and C. Krishniengar of the Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The prospects of the Inspecting Staff of the Education Department should be improved, and the number of its members increased by the appointment of more Deputy and Assistant Deputy Inspectors. One man cannot effectively inspect more than 100 schools.

Reply of Government.—Under consideration.

Subject No. 19.
Examination of Hobli Schools by Deputy Inspectors.

Mr. Lingegowda of Mysore Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Deputy Inspectors sometimes examine hobli schools once in a year and a half and sometimes once in two years. The examination time may be fixed and the Deputy Inspectors strictly enjoined to inspect and examine the schools regularly, so that it might conduce to the satisfactory progress of education therein.

Reply of Government.—Noted.